



**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

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For: ROLLING SLIDING MEMBER, PROCESS FOR THE PRODUCTION THEREOF AND  
ROLLING SLIDING UNIT

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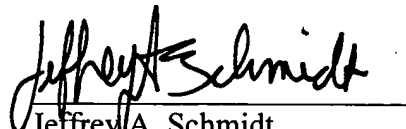
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